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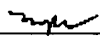
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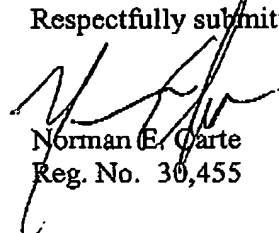
Applicants respectfully petition for a THREE-month extension of time within which to respond to the Office Action mailed May 3, 2006, such extension allowing Applicants until November 3, 2006 to respond. A ONE month Extension was previously filed on September 5, 2006.

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